



**A Special Announcement from
The Judge Advocate General**

Colonel Marc L. Warren

4 June 2007



This is a difficult message for me to send to you, and it is one that I had hoped would never come to pass. It is my regrettable duty to inform you that we have been advised that the Senate Armed Services Committee does not intend to move Colonel Marc Warren's nomination for promotion to Brigadier General to confirmation. In light of that information, Marc and his Family have elected to pursue other opportunities.

COL Warren is currently serving as the Special Assistant to The Judge Advocate General. As all of you know, after being recommended for promotion by the 2005 JAG Corps Brigadier General promotion board, the President of the United States nominated Colonel Warren for promotion to Brigadier General and forwarded his nomination to the United States Senate on 19 July 2005. Colonel Warren's nomination had the unwavering support of the JAG Corps Family, and the civilian and military leadership of the Department of Defense, Army, and sister services. Every retired Army JAGC general officer signed three different letters of support.

Marc and his wife, Susan, have dedicated over 26 years of selfless and honorable service to our Corps, our Army, and our Nation. He distinguished himself by meritorious service in numerous key assignments, to include his service as the Staff Judge Advocate for V Corps and Combined Joint Task Force - Seven, where his keen intellect, sound judgment, and technical expertise set the standard for providing legal services to a Corps and Coalition Command during war. His leadership, courage, experience, and judgment throughout his entire career are unsurpassed and immeasurable. His Family's many sacrifices over the years, supporting both Marc and our Army, can never be repaid. The Corps, our Army, and our Nation will no longer have in our ranks this magnificent Soldier and Family who dedicated their lives solely to serving selflessly and honorably. Marc was a perfect role model as a leader, lawyer, and guardian of the laws and principles that distinguish this nation from those who attack it. He and his Family will be enormously missed.

There simply are no adequate words to thank Marc and Susan for their many years of extraordinary service, and they have our enduring thanks and fervent blessings. I also thank all of you for your steadfast support, encouragement, and understanding. I know you will continue to Soldier and lawyer on. Our Nation and our Army need you.

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "SCC Black".

SCOTT C. BLACK
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The Judge Advocate General